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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 10 December 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

consultations of the whole
(closed)

Consultation Room

4 p.m.

1. Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
2. El Salvador
3. Other matters

MILITARY STAFF COMMITTEE

1263rd meeting
(closed)

Conference Room E

11 a.m.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10 a.m.

74th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

Forty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights [20]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/506);

(b) Draft decision (A/48/L.49).

3 p.m.

75th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Effects of atomic radiation: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/644) [83].
2. International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/645) [84].

3. United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/646)* [85].
4. Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/647)* [86].
5. Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/648) [87].
6. Questions relating to information: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/649) [88].
7. Science and peace: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/650) [89].
8. Question of the composition of the relevant organs of the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/651) [90].
9. Information for Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 *e* of the Charter of the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/652) [116].
10. Activities of those foreign economic and other interests which impede the implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples in Territories under colonial domination and efforts to eliminate colonialism, apartheid and racial discrimination in southern Africa; implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/653) [117 and 18].
11. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations; report of the Economic and Social Council: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/654) [118 and 12].
12. Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/655) [119].
13. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/656) [18].
14. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [18]:
 - (a) Report of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples (A/48/23, A/AC.109/1137-1139, 1141-1158, 1161-1164 and 1170);
 - (b) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/426);
 - (c) Draft resolutions (A/48/L.38, A/48/L.39).
15. Development and international economic cooperation [91]:
 - (a) Trade and Development: report of the Second Committee (A/48/717/Add.1)*.

* To be issued.

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on draft proposals A/C.2/48/L.74 (item 91); A/C.2/48/L.58 (item 91 (e)); A/C.2/48/L.37 (item 91 (g)); A/C.2/48/L.34 (item 91 (i)); A/C.2/48/L.5 (item 92); A/C.2/48/L.61 (item 93); A/C.2/48/L.44 (item 99 (c)); A/C.2/48/L.71 (item 106)

3 p.m.-
5 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on draft proposals A/C.2/48/L.17 et L.18 (item 12); A/C.2/L.59 (item 94)

SECOND COMMITTEE

5 p.m. 47th meeting Conference Room 1

1. Action on the following draft proposals:

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

A/C.2/48/L.17, L.18, L.50/Rev.1, L.51/Rev.1, L.52/Rev.1, L.53/Rev.1

Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy, reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan [41]

A/C.2/48/L.48

Development and international economic cooperation [91]

A/C.2/48/L.28/Rev.1

(a) Trade and development

A/C.2/48/L.14/Rev.1, L.21, L.22 and L.81, L.23, L.75

(b) Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the 1990s

A/C.2/48/L.8 and L.20 (programme budget implications)

(c) Effective mobilization and integration of women in development

A/C.2/48/L.44

(d) Economic and technical cooperation among developing countries

A/C.2/48/L.25 and L.73

(e) Environment

A/C.2/48/L.49 and L.58

(g) Human settlements

A/C.2/48/L.37

Draft resolution contained in Governing Council decision 14/1 (A/48/8)

Draft resolution contained in Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/63

(h) Science and technology for development

A/C.2/48/L.16

(i) Entrepreneurship

A/C.2/48/L.34

External debt crisis and development [92]

A/C.2/48/L.5

International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries [93]

A/C.2/48/L.60 and L.61

Operational activities for development [94]

United Nations interim offices [154]

A/C.2/48/L.59 and L.70

Implementation of decisions and recommendations of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development [99]

A/C.2/48/L.38, L.47 and L.80

(b) Global Conference on the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States

A/C.2/48/L.12

- (c) Sustainable use and conservation of the marine living resources of the high seas: United Nations Conference on Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks

A/C.2/48/L.44

Training and research: United Nations Institute for Training and Research [106]

A/C.2/48/L.71

Draft Biennial Programme of Work for the Second Committee for 1994-1995

A/C.2/48/L.72

2. Conclusion of the work of the Second Committee

THIRD COMMITTEE WORKING GROUP DRAFTING COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2
6 p.m.*- 9 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

* Subject to the availability of services.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	34th meeting	Conference Room 3
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	35th meeting	Conference Room 3
6.30 p.m.- 9.30 p.m.	36th meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

(A/48/6 (in fascicle form), A/48/7, A/48/16 (Part I) and (Part II) and A/48/32/Rev.1/Add.1; A/C.5/48/9 and Corr.1 and Add.1 (also agenda item 121) and A/C.5/48/26 (also agenda item 138))

First reading of the budget: parts IV and V

2. Pattern of conferences [126]

Draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.8

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

9.30 p.m.		Conference Room 5
12.30 a.m.	closed meeting	

Informal consultations on agenda item 121 (Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
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OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
(on all outstanding matters
before the Second Committee)

2 p.m.- 3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 7
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GROUP OF LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN STATES

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8
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AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
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There will be closed meetings on the establishment of Regional Centre for Space Science and Technology Education [Brazil and Mexico] today, 10 December 1993, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 9.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

*Saturday, 11 December 1993***GENERAL ASSEMBLY***Forty-eighth session***Committees****THIRD COMMITTEE****WORKING GROUP****DRAFTING COMMITTEE**

10 a.m.	closed meeting	
3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1
6 p.m.	closed meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	37th meeting	
3 p.m.	38th meeting	Conference Room 3
6.30 p.m.	39th meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE*Informal consultations*

9.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
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*Sunday, 12 December 1993***GENERAL ASSEMBLY***Forty-eighth session***Committees****THIRD COMMITTEE****WORKING GROUP****DRAFTING COMMITTEE**

10 a.m.	closed meeting	
3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2
6 p.m.	closed meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	40th meeting	
3 p.m.	41st meeting	Conference Room 3
6.30 p.m.	42nd meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE*Informal consultations*

9.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
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Informal consultations on agenda item 127 (Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations)

*Monday, 13 December 1993***GENERAL ASSEMBLY***Forty-eighth session*

10 a.m.	76th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
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1. Question of the Comorian island of Mayotte [25]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/447);

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.48).

2. Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:

(a) Report of the Special Committee Against Apartheid (A/48/22);

- (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/48/43);
- (c) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691*);
- (d) Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);
- (e) Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36).

3. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:

- (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);
- (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37).

3 p.m.

77th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:
 - (a) Report of the Special Committee Against Apartheid (A/48/22);
 - (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/48/43);
 - (c) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691*);
 - (d) Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);
 - (e) Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36).
2. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:
 - (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37).

* To be issued.

Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.

56th meeting

3 p.m.

57th meeting

Conference Room 1

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.

43rd meeting

Conference
Room 3

FIFTH COMMITTEE

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Informal consultations

3 p.m.	closed meeting	
6.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
9.30 p.m.	closed meeting	

The DISARMAMENT COMMISSION will resume its 1993 organizational session on Tuesday, 14 December 1993, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4.

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	
3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

OTHER MEETINGS

The ORIENTATION COURSE ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL will begin on Monday, 13 December 1993, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 8.

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There will be informal consultations of the open-ended working group of the Plenary on agenda item 24 (United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s) (draft resolution A/48/L.24) on Monday, 13 December 1993, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

The GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE will also hold a closed meeting (*on the draft agendas of the Ad Hoc Working Group of the Commission on Sustainable Development*) on Tuesday, 14 December 1993, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 9 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

72nd plenary meeting

Tribute to the memory of the late President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, H.E. Mr. Félix Houphouët-Boigny

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly observed one minute of silence in tribute to the memory of the late President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, His Excellency Mr. Félix Houphouët-Boigny.

The Assembly heard statements by the representatives of Angola (on behalf of the African States), Japan (on behalf of the Asian States), The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (on behalf of the Eastern European States), Ecuador (on behalf of the Latin American and Caribbean States), Portugal (on behalf of the Western European and other States) and the United States (on behalf of the host country).

The representative of Côte d'Ivoire made a statement.

Announcement

The President made an announcement in the course of which he informed the General Assembly that, in accordance with Assembly resolution 48/1 of 8 October 1993, the embargo related to the supply of petroleum and petroleum products to South Africa and investments in the petroleum industry there, has been lifted.

Law of the sea [36]

(a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/527 and Add.1)*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/48/L.40)*

The Chairman of the Preparatory Commission for the International Sea-bed Authority and for the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.40.

Statements were made by the representatives of Austria, the United States, Sri Lanka, Canada, Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Japan, the New Zealand, the Philippines, Sweden, Kenya, Brazil and Tunisia.

73rd plenary meeting

Law of the sea [36]

(a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/527 and Add.1)*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/48/L.40)*

Statements were made by the representatives of Australia, Fiji, Indonesia, Ukraine, the Republic of Korea, Sierra Leone, Argentina and Guyana.

By 144 votes to 1, with 11 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/48/L.40 (resolution 48/28).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Turkey, the United Kingdom, Argentina and the Russian Federation.

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 36.

Reports of the Sixth Committee

The Rapporteur of the Sixth Committee introduced the reports of the Committee on agenda items 139 to 148, 152 and 161.

United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/608) [139]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 7 of its report (A/48/608) (resolution 48/29).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 139.

Measures to eliminate international terrorism: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/609) [140]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 10 of its report (A/48/609).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 140.

Progressive development of the principles and norms of international law relating to the new international economic order: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/610) [141]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 9 of its report (A/48/610).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 141.

United Nations Decade of International Law: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/611) [142]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 11 of its report (A/48/611) (resolution 48/30).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 142.

Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty-fifth session: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/612) [143]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 8 of its report (A/48/612) (resolution 48/31).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 143.

Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its twenty-sixth session: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/613) [144]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I, II and III recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 14 of its report (A/48/613) (resolutions 48/32, 48/33, 48/34).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 144.

Report of the Committee on Relations With the Host Country: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/614) [145]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 7 of its report (A/48/614) (resolution 48/35).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 145.

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/615) [146]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 9 of its report (A/48/615) (resolution 48/36).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 146.

Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/616) [147]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 12 of its report

(A/48/616).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 147.

Request for an advisory opinion from the International Court of Justice: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/617) [148]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 6 of its report (A/48/617).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 148.

Question of responsibility for attacks on United Nations and associated personnel and measures to ensure that those responsible for such attacks are brought to justice: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/618) [152]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 10 of its report (A/48/618) (resolution 48/37).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 152.

Review of the procedure provided for under article 11 of the statute of the Administrative Tribunal of the United Nations: report of the Sixth Committee (A/48/619) [161]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Sixth Committee in paragraph 11 of its report (A/48/619).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of item 161.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of all the reports of the Sixth Committee.

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

46th meeting

Note: The summary of the 46th meeting of the Second Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 1993/240).

FIFTH COMMITTEE

32nd meeting

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

Statements were made by the representatives of Uganda and Algeria.

The Committee then began its consideration of the individual parts of the proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995.

Part I: Overall policy-making, direction and coordination

Part II: Political affairs

Part III: International justice and law

The Controller made an introductory statement. The Rapporteur of the Committee for Programme and Coordination introduced the report of that Committee concerning parts I, II and III.

Statements were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Australia (on behalf also of Canada and New Zealand), Cuba, Nepal, Morocco, Pakistan, Egypt, the United States, India, the United Kingdom, Norway (on behalf of the Nordic countries) and Ghana.

Organization of work

The representative of Portugal made a statement.

33rd meeting

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

Part I: Overall policy-making, direction and coordination

Part II: Political affairs

Part III: International justice and law

Statements were made by the representatives of Japan, Morocco, Cameroon, Pakistan, Cuba, Spain, Canada, Brazil and the United States. The Controller replied to questions raised during the debate.

The representative of Cuba and the Chairman spoke on a point of procedure.

The Chairman announced that decisions on parts I, II and III would be deferred to a later meeting of the Committee.

Part IV: International cooperation for development

Part V: Regional cooperation for development

The Controller made an introductory statement. The Rapporteur of the Committee for Programme and Coordination introduced the report of that Committee concerning parts IV and V.

Organization of work

Statements were made by the representative of Portugal and by the Chairman.

DISARMAMENT COMMISSION 1993 organizational session

182nd meeting

The session was opened by its Chairman, H. E. Mr. Luiz Augusto de Araujo Castro (Brazil). The Commission reviewed the draft resolutions adopted by the First Committee at its forty-eighth session with direct relevance to the work of the Commission, namely A/C.1/48/L.3/Rev.1, A/C.1/48/L.27/Rev.1 and A/C.1/48/L.30.

The Commission adopted the provisional agenda for its 1994 substantive session consisting of the following three substantive items: Process of nuclear disarmament in the framework of international peace and security, with the objective of the elimination of nuclear weapons; The role of science and technology in the context of international security, disarmament and other related fields; and International arms transfers with particular reference to resolution 46/36 H of 6 December 1991. In this connection, statements were made by the representatives of Canada, Colombia, Cuba, Ecuador, India, Mexico and the United States.

The Commission decided to establish a committee of the whole and three working groups to deal with its three substantive items as follows: Working Group I on "Process of nuclear disarmament in the framework of international peace and security, with the objective of the elimination of nuclear weapons"; Working Group II on "The role of science and technology in the context of international security, disarmament and other related fields"; and Working Group III on "International arms transfers with particular reference to resolution 46/36 H of 6 December 1991".

The Commission further decided that the dates for its 1994 substantive session would be from 18 April to 9 May 1994. A general programme of work for that session was also approved as contained in document A/CN.10/1993/CRP.6.

The Commission decided to defer the election of its Bureau for 1994 session and the appointment of chairmen for its subsidiary bodies until its next meeting scheduled for Tuesday, 14 December 1993.

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL RIGHTS

Ninth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

WEDNESDAY, 8 DECEMBER 1993

45th and 46th meetings

Organization of work [2]

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

Consideration of reports [4]

The Committee continued in closed session its consideration of concluding observations with respect to State reports examined at the current session.

International Convention on the Harmonization of Frontier Controls of Goods, concluded at Geneva on 21 October 1982

*Accession: Armenia (8 December 1993)**

International Cocoa Agreement, 1993, concluded at Geneva on 16 July 1993

Signature: Hungary (9 December 1993)

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, adopted at the Second Meeting of the Parties at London on 29 June 1990

*Accession: Grenada (7 December 1993)**

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.**[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]**

Customs Convention on the International Transport of Goods under Cover of TIR Carnets (TIR Convention), concluded at Geneva on 14 November 1975

*Accession: Armenia (8 December 1993)**

Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal, concluded at Basel on 22 March 1989

*Accession: Saint Lucia (9 December 1993)**

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GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE

WORKING GROUP

DRAFTING COMMITTEE

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6 p.m.	closed meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

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1. Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995
[123]

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First reading of the budget: parts VI to XI and income sections 1, 2 and 3

2. Improving the financial situation of the United Nations
[124]

Draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.9

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Sunday, 12 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE

WORKING GROUP

DRAFTING COMMITTEE

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6 p.m.	closed meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

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3 p.m.	41st meeting	
6.30 p.m.	42nd meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

9.30 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 5

Monday, 13 December 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

consultations of the whole
(closed)

Consultation Room

4 p.m.

1. Cyprus
2. Other matters

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10 a.m.

76th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

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 - (d) Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);
 - (e) Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rcv.1, A/48/L.36).
2. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:
- (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37).

* To be issued.

Informal consultations

3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 8

Open-ended working group of the Plenary on agenda item 24 (United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s) (draft resolution A/48/L.24).

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. 48th meeting Conference Room 2

[The agenda for the meeting will appear in an addendum to this issue of the *Journal*.]

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m. Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 1

Morning*-
1 p.m. 56th meeting Conference Room 1

1. Report of the Economic and Social Council [12] (A/C.3/48/L.84)

2. Human rights questions [114]

(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.77

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 43rd meeting Conference Room 3

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m. closed meeting
6.30 p.m. closed meeting
9.30 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

6 p.m.-
9 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

* Following the adjournment of the informal consultations.

OTHER MEETINGS**ORIENTATION COURSE
ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL
FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL**10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 83 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 7**GROUP OF 77 THE WHOLE
(on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.61)**10 a.m.-
11 a.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 7

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There will be a closed meeting of the Bureau of the Committee on Information, representatives of regional groups, Group of 77 and China on Monday, 13 December 1993, at 11.30 a.m. in Room S-1027.

*Tuesday, 14 December 1993***GENERAL ASSEMBLY***Forty-eighth session*

10 a.m.

78th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations [44]:
 - (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/536);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.47).
2. Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:
 - (a) Report of the Special Committee Against Apartheid (A/48/22);
 - (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/48/43);
 - (c) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691*);
 - (d) Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);
 - (e) Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36).
3. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:
 - (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37).

3 p.m.

79th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. The situation in the Middle East [34]:
 - (a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/522, A/48/607-S/26769);

* To be issued.

- (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.32, A/48/L.34, A/48/L.46).
2. United Nations initiative on opportunity and participation: draft resolution (A/48/L.19/Rev.1) [151].
 3. Adoption of the agenda of the forty-eighth regular session and organization of work: request for the reopening of the consideration of agenda item 47 submitted by Australia (A/48/749*) [8].

* To be issued.

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

The DISARMAMENT COMMISSION will resume its 1993 organizational session on Tuesday, 14 December 1993, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4.

10 a.m. 44th meeting Conference Room 3

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m. closed meeting
6.30 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5
9.30 p.m. closed meeting

OTHER MEETINGS

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m. closed meeting
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

The GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE will hold a closed meeting (*on the draft agendas of the Ad Hoc Working Group of the Commission on Sustainable Development*) on Tuesday, 14 December 1993, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 9 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

46th meeting

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.3 and L.67

Tribute to the memory of His Excellency Mr. Félix Houphouët-Boigny, President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire

The President of the Committee made a statement.

The Committee observed a minute of silence in tribute to the memory of the late President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire, His Excellency Mr. Félix Houphouët-Boigny.

The representative of Côte d'Ivoire made a statement.

Development and international economic cooperation [91]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.74

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item and the representative of Colombia, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China, introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.74.

Operational activities for development [94]

United Nations interim offices [154]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.70

The Committee resumed its consideration of the two items and the Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Rysinski (Poland), introduced and orally revised draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.70.

Training and research: United Nations Institute for Training and Research [106]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.71

The Committee resumed its consideration of the agenda item and the representative of Nigeria introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.71 on behalf of the sponsors as listed in the document and Gabon, Indonesia and Mali. The representative of Sierra Leone informed the Committee that his delegation had joined the sponsors of the draft resolution.

Action on draft proposals

Development and international economic cooperation [91]

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Rysinski (Poland), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.67, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.3.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.67.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.3 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

(a) Trade and development

Draft decision A/C.2/48/L.75

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on the draft decision.

The Committee then adopted the draft decision.

(d) Economic and technical cooperation among developing countries

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.25 and L.73

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.73, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.25.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.73.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.25 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 91 (d).

International Conference on the Financing of Development [97]

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.4

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Rysinski (Poland), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on the text.

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) raised a question to which the Vice-Chairman of the Committee responded.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution.

The representative of the United States made a statement.

Implementation of decisions and recommendations of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development [99]

Draft decision A/C.2/48/L.41

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), presented to the Committee draft decision A/C.2/48/L.41 submitted by him.

The Committee then adopted the draft decision.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.46

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee on the results of the informal consultations held on this text.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution.

Draft resolution contained in the annex of decision 2/4 in A/48/226/Add.1

In operative paragraph one of decision 2/4 contained in A/48/226/Add.1, the Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee for the Elaboration of an International Convention to Combat Desertification in those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, particularly in Africa, recommended for adoption by the General Assembly at its forty-eighth session the draft resolution contained in the annex to that draft decision.

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement on programme budget implications of the draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution.

The representative of Algeria made a statement.

The representative of Benin raised a question to which the Secretary of the Committee responded.

Special programmes of economic assistance [100]

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.39 and L.68

The representative of the Sudan informed the Committee that the delegations of Bangladesh, Malaysia, Oman and Suriname had joined the sponsors of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.39.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Rysinski (Poland), introduced and orally revised draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.68, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.39.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.68, as orally revised.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.39 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

The representative of the Sudan made a statement.

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.40 and L.69

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Rysinski (Poland), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.69, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.40.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.69.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.40 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

Friday, 10 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

74th plenary meeting

Forty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights [20]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/506);

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.49)

The President made a statement.

The Secretary-General made a statement.

On the occasion of the celebration of the forty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, nine prizes were awarded for outstanding contributions to the promotion and protection of human rights and fundamental freedoms. The prizes were awarded to Dr. Erica-Irene Daes (Greece), Mr. James Grant (United States of America), the International Commission of Jurists (received on its behalf by the Secretary-General of the International Commission of Jurists Mr. Adama Dieng), the Medical Personnel of the

Central Hospital of Sarajevo (Bosnia and Herzegovina) (received on its behalf by the Director-General of the Central Hospital of Sarajevo Dr. Farouk Konjodzic), Dr. Sonia Picado Sotela of Costa Rica, Mr. Ganesh Man Singh of Nepal, the Sudanese Women's Union (received on its behalf by the President of the Sudanese Women's Union, Ms. Fatima Ibrahim), Father Julio Tumiri Javier (Bolivia), Mr. Hassib Ben Ammar of Tunisia (in absentia).

The General Assembly continued its commemorative meeting devoted to the observance of the forty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United States, Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Canada, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, Finland (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Malaysia, Tunisia, New Zealand, Slovenia, Australia, Belize, Zambia and Ecuador (on behalf of the Latin American and Caribbean States).

75th plenary meeting

Forty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights [20]:

(a) *Report of the Secretary-General* (A/48/506);

(b) *Draft decision* (A/48/L.49)

Statements were made by the representatives of the Philippines, Guyana, the Russian Federation, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Costa Rica, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Pakistan and India.

The General Assembly adopted draft decision A/48/L.49.

The President declared concluded the observance of the forty-fifth anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights [20]

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 20.

Announcement

The President made an announcement in the course of which he urged those Member States that had not yet submitted the credentials of their representatives participating in the forty-eighth session of the General Assembly to do so promptly.

Reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

The Rapporteur of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) introduced the reports of the Committee.

Effects of atomic radiation: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/644) [83]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee in paragraph 6 of its report (A/48/644) (resolution 48/38).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 83.

International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/645) [84]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee in paragraph 11 of its report (A/48/645) (resolution 48/39).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 84.

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/646) [85]

The General Assembly proceeded to vote on the draft resolutions recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee in paragraph 43 of its report (A/48/646).

	Yes	No	Abstentions
Draft resolution A (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 A)	159	0	2
Draft resolution B (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 B)			Adopted
Draft resolution C (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 C)			Adopted
Draft resolution D (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 D)	161	0	1
Draft resolution E (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 E)	157	2	0
Draft resolution F (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 F)	152	2	5
Draft resolution G (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 G)	114	2	44

Draft resolution H (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 H)	153	2	6
Draft resolution I (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 I)	156	2	2
Draft resolution J (recorded vote) (resolution 48/40 J)	159	2	0

The representative of Nigeria made a statement in explanation of vote after the vote.

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 85.

Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/647) [86]

The General Assembly proceeded to vote on the draft resolutions recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee in paragraph 16 of its report (A/48/647).

	Yes	No	Abstentions
Draft resolution A (recorded vote) (resolution 48/41 A)	93	2	65
Draft resolution B (recorded vote) (resolution 48/41 B)	152	1	6
Draft resolution C (recorded vote) (resolution 48/41 C)	106	2	48
Draft resolution D (recorded vote) (resolution 48/41 D)	85	1	68

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 86.

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peace-keeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/648) [87]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I and II recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 15 of its report (A/48/648) (resolutions 48/42, 48/43).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 87.

Questions relating to information: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/649) [88]

The Assembly adopted draft resolutions A and B recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 13 of its report (A/48/649) (resolutions 48/44 A, 48/44 B).

The Assembly adopted draft decisions I, II and III recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 14 of its report (A/48/649).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 88.

Science and peace: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/650) [89]

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee in paragraph 6 of its report (A/48/650).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 89.

Question of the composition of the relevant organs of the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/651) [90]

The General Assembly decided to adopt the recommendation of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee contained in paragraph 3 of its report (A/48/651).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 90.

Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/652) [116]

By 159 votes to 0, with 3 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee in paragraph 7 of its report (A/48/652) (resolution 48/45).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 116.

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/646) [85]

The Chairman of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) made a proposal.

The General Assembly adopted the proposal.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 85.

Activities of those foreign economic and other interests which impede the implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples in Territories under colonial domination and efforts to eliminate colonialism, apartheid and racial discrimination in Southern Africa; implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/653) [117 and 18]

By 111 votes to 43, with 3 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 11 of its report (A/48/653) (resolution 48/46).

By 112 votes to 42, with 3 abstentions (recorded vote), the Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 12 of its report (A/48/653).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 117.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations; report of the Economic and Social Council: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/654) [118 and 12]

By 113 votes to 5, with 43 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 11 of its report (A/48/654) (resolution 48/47).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 118.

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 12.

Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/655) [119]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 7 of its report (A/48/655) (resolution 48/48).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 119.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/656) [18]

The representative of Venezuela made a statement in explanation of vote before the vote.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I, II and III recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 28 of its report (A/48/656) (resolutions 48/49, 48/50, 48/51).

The Assembly adopted draft consensuses I and II recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 29 of its report (A/48/656).

By 101 votes to 2, with 51 abstentions (recorded vote), the Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 30 of its report (A/48/654).

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of all the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee).

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [18]:

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee on the situation with regard to the implementation of the declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples (A/48/23, A/AC.109/1137-1139, 1141-1158, 1161-1164 and 1170);*
- (b) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/426);*
- (c) *Draft resolutions (A/48/L.38, A/48/L.39)*

The representative of the Russian Federation made a statement in explanation of vote before the vote.

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement concerning the programme budget implications of draft resolutions A/48/L.38 and A/48/L.39.

By 139 votes to 2, with 19 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/48/L.38 (resolution 48/52).

By 141 votes to 2, with 18 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/48/L.39 (resolution 48/53).

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, the United States and Australia.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 18 as a whole.

Trade and development: report of the Second Committee (A/48/717/Add.1) [91 (a)]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I and II recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 13 of its report (A/48/717/Add.1) (resolutions 48/54, 48/55).

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 91.

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE 47th meeting

Note: The summary of the 47th meeting of the Second Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 1993/241).

FIFTH COMMITTEE 34th meeting

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

The representative of Slovenia made a statement.

Part IV: International cooperation for development

Part V: Regional cooperation for development

The Committee continued its consideration of parts IV and V and heard statements by the representatives of Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Cameroon, Egypt, Cuba, Kenya, Canada (on behalf also of Australia and New Zealand), the Marshall Islands (on behalf also of the Federated States of Micronesia, Fiji, Papua New Guinea and the Solomon Islands), Colombia, the Russian Federation, China, Uganda, India, Argentina, Morocco, Algeria and Sri Lanka.

35th meeting

Pattern of conferences [126]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item and heard a statement by the representative of Bangladesh, in his capacity as Rapporteur of the Committee, who introduced draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.8.

The Chairman and the representatives of Austria and the United States spoke on points of clarification.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.8, without objection.

The Chairman declared the consideration of agenda item 126 concluded.

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

Part IV: International cooperation for development

Part V: Regional cooperation for development

The Committee continued its consideration of parts IV and V and heard statements by the representatives of Pakistan, Brazil, the Netherlands, Cuba, Chile, China and Uganda, as well as by the Controller, who replied to questions raised during the debate.

The Chairman announced that decisions on parts IV and V would be taken at a later meeting of the Committee, following informal consultations.

Part VI: Human rights and humanitarian affairs

The Controller made an introductory statement. The Rapporteur of the Committee for Programme and Coordination introduced the report of that Committee concerning part VI.

Statements were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Cameroon, the Russian Federation, Norway (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Egypt, Ukraine and Algeria.

Organization of work

Statements regarding the Committee's programme of work were made by the Chairman and by the representatives of Sri Lanka and Cuba.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL RIGHTS

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47th and 48th meetings

Relations with United Nations organs and other treaty bodies [6]

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

Consideration of reports [4]

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

The Committee continued in closed session its consideration of concluding observations with respect to State reports examined at the current session.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.**[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]**

*United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change,
concluded at New York on 9 May 1992*

Ratification: Germany (9 December 1993); Switzerland (10
December 1993)**

*Convention on Biological Diversity, opened for signature at Rio
de Janeiro on 5 June 1992*

*Ratification: Barbados (10 December 1993)**

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS*Chairmen of the regional groups*

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *December* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:

Angola

H.E. Mr. Afonso Van Dunem "Mbinda"

Asian States:

Japan

H.E. Mr. Yoshio Hatano

Eastern European States:

The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

H.E. Mr. Denko Maleski

Latin American and Caribbean States:

Ecuador

H.E. Mr. José Ayala Lasso

Western European and Other States:

Portugal

H.E. Mr. Pedro Catarino

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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Addendum

Monday, 13 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

11 a.m.*

closed meeting

Conference
Room 6

Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy, reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan [41]

A/C.2/48/L.48

Development and international economic cooperation [91]

A/C.2/48/L.74 and L.87

(g) Human settlements

A/C.2/48/L.37/Rev.1

Draft resolution contained in Governing Council decision 14/1 (A/48/8)

Draft resolution contained in Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/63

(i) Entrepreneurship

A/C.2/48/L.34/Rev.1

External debt crisis and development [92]

A/C.2/48/L.5/Rev.1

SECOND COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

48th meeting

Conference
Room 2

1. *Action on the following draft proposals:*

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

A/C.2/48/L.18, L.50/Rev.1, L.51/Rev.1, L.52/Rev.1, L.53/Rev.1 and L.82 (programme budget implications)

International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries [93]

A/C.2/48/L.60 and L.86

Operational activities for development [94]

United Nations interim offices [154]

A/C.2/48/L.70 and L.85 (programme budget implications)

Training and research: United Nations Institute for Training and Research [106]

A/C.2/48/L.71, L.88 and L.84 (programme budget implications)

Draft biennial programme of work for the Second Committee for 1994-1995

A/C.2/48/L.72

2. Conclusion of the work of the Second Committee

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 38th meeting Conference Room 3

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.6 on agenda item 72 (Regional confidence-building measures)

(A/C.5/48/32)

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.19 on agenda item 82 (Implementation of the Declaration on the Denuclearization of Africa)

(A/C.5/48/33)

Programme budget implications of draft resolutions A/C.1/48/L.40 and L.41 on agenda items 66 and 73 (Report of the Conference on Disarmament)

(A/C.5/48/34)

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

Morning*	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
6.30 p.m.-9.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
9.30 p.m.-12.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 123 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995)

* Following the adjournment of the 38th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

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OTHER MEETINGS

The closed meeting of the GROUP OF 77 THE WHOLE (on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.61 and other matters), which is scheduled for Monday, 13 December 1993, from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m., will be held in Conference Room 6 instead of Conference Room 7.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday, 14 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	39th meeting	Conference Room 3
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FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

Morning*	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
3 p.m.	closed meeting	
6.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
9.30 p.m.	closed meeting	

* Following the adjournment of the 39th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Saturday, 11 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

36th meeting

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

Statements were made by the representatives of Hungary and Bulgaria.

The Chairman and the representative of the Russian Federation spoke on a point of procedure.

Part VI: Human rights and humanitarian affairs

The Committee continued its consideration of part VI and heard statements by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Denmark (on behalf of the Nordic countries), Japan, Canada (on behalf also of Australia and New Zealand), Cuba, the United States, Pakistan, Georgia and China.

The Controller and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee replied to questions raised during the debate.

The Chairman of the Committee announced that decisions on part VI would be taken at a later meeting, following informal consultations.

*Part VII: Public information**Part VIII: Common support services*

The Controller made an introductory statement. The Rapporteur of the Committee for Programme and Coordination introduced the report of that Committee concerning part VII.

Statements were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Denmark (on behalf of the Nordic countries), New Zealand (on behalf also of Australia and Canada), Burkina Faso, Cameroon, Uganda, Japan and Cuba, as well as by the Controller, who replied to questions raised during the debate.

The Chairman announced that decisions on parts VII and VIII would be taken at a later meeting, following informal consultations.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

37th meeting

Improving the financial situation of the United Nations [124]

The Committee resumed its consideration of this item and heard a statement by the Chairman, who introduced draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.9.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.5/48/L.9 without objection.

The Committee thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 124.

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

Part IX: Jointly financed activities and special expenses

*Part X: Staff assessment**Part XI: Capital expenditures*

The Controller made an introductory statement. Statements were made by the representatives of Japan and Canada, as well as by the Controller, who replied to questions raised during the debate.

The Chairman announced that decisions on parts IX, X and XI would be taken at a later meeting of the Committee, following informal consultations.

*Income section 1: Income from staff assessment**Income section 2: General income**Income section 3: Services to the public*

The Chairman announced that decisions on income sections 1, 2 and 3 would be taken at a later meeting of the Committee, following informal consultations.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 14 December 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

consultations of the whole
(closed)

4 p.m.

Consultation Room

1. Angola
2. Liberia
3. UNPROFOR
4. Other matters

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10 a.m.

78th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations [44]:
 - (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/536);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.47).
2. Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:
 - (a) Report of the Special Committee Against Apartheid (A/48/22);
 - (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/48/43);
 - (c) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691);

- (d) Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);
 - (e) Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36).
3. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:
- (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37).

3 p.m.

79th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. The situation in the Middle East [34]:
 - (a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/522, A/48/607-S/26769);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.32, A/48/L.34, A/48/L.46).
2. United Nations initiative on opportunity and participation: draft resolution (A/48/L.19/Rev.1) [151].
3. Adoption of the agenda of the forty-eighth regular session and organization of work: request for the reopening of the consideration of agenda item 47 submitted by Australia (A/48/749) [8].

Informal consultations

10 a.m.

closed meeting

Conference Room 8

Open-ended working group of the Plenary on agenda item 24 (United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s) (draft resolution A/48/L.24).

Committees9.30 p.m.-
12.30 a.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 5**FIFTH COMMITTEE***Informal consultations*

Informal consultations on agenda item 127 (Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations)

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 53 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 56.30 p.m.-
9.30 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 5**DISARMAMENT COMMISSION***Resumed organizational session*

Informal consultations on agenda item 123 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995)

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

183rd meeting

Conference
Room 4

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONSAD HOC COMMITTEE OF THE AFRICAN GROUP
ON UNITED NATIONS REFORMS

3 p.m.- 9 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10	10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
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OTHER MEETINGS

ORIENTATION COURSE
ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL
FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

11 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 9
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ARAB GROUP OF THE WHOLE
(at the ambassadorial level)GROUP OF 77 THE WHOLE
(on the draft agendas of the Ad Hoc
Working Group of the Commission on
Sustainable Development)

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 7			
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8	3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Wednesday, 15 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	39th meeting	Conference Room 3	3 p.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 8
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FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

Morning*	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
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3 p.m.	closed meeting	
6.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
9.30 p.m.	closed meeting	

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS* Following the adjournment of the 39th meeting of the
Fifth Committee.

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
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SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 13 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

76th plenary meeting

Question of the Comorian island of Mayotte [25]:

- (a) *Report of the Secretary-General* (A/48/447);
- (b) *Draft resolution* (A/48/L.48)

The representative of the Comoros made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.48.

Statements were made by the representatives of Sierra Leone, Pakistan and France.

By 91 votes to 2, with 36 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/48/L.48 (resolution 48/56).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 25.

Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid* (A/48/22);
- (b) *Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa* (A/48/43);
- (c) *Reports of the Secretary-General* (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691);
- (d) *Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)* (A/48/657);
- (e) *Draft resolutions* (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36)

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:

- (a) *Report of the Secretary-General* (A/48/524);
- (b) *Draft resolution* (A/48/L.37)

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657).

The Chairman of the Special Committee against Apartheid made a statement.

The rapporteur of the Special Committee against Apartheid introduced the report of the Special Committee (A/48/22).

The Chairman of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa made a statement.

The Rapporteur of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa introduced the report of the Group (A/48/43).

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee of the United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.37.

The Chairman of the Committee of Trustees of the United Nations Trust Fund for South Africa made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.36.

Statements were made by the representatives of Canada, Mozambique and India.

In accordance with the decision taken by the General Assembly at its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the National Chairman of the African National Congress of South Africa made a statement.

77th plenary meeting

Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid* (A/48/22);
- (b) *Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa* (A/48/43);
- (c) *Reports of the Secretary-General* (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691);
- (d) *Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)* (A/48/657);
- (e) *Draft resolutions* (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36)

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:

- (a) *Report of the Secretary-General* (A/48/524);

(b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37)

Statements were made by the representatives of Sri Lanka, Egypt, Botswana, Zambia, Austria, the United States, Trinidad and Tobago (on behalf of the States members of the Caribbean Community), Malaysia, Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Uruguay, Indonesia, New Zealand, Guyana, Argentina and the Philippines.

In accordance with the decision taken by the General Assembly at its 3rd plenary meeting, on 24 September 1993, the Secretary-General of the Pan Africanist Congress of Azania made a statement.

Programme of work

The President announced the following updated programme of work:

<i>Tuesday, 14 December morning</i>	Strengthening of the coordination of of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations [44] Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united and non-racial South Africa [38] United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]
<i>afternoon</i>	The situation in the Middle East [34] United Nations initiative on opportunity and participation [151] Adoption of the agenda and organization of work [8]
<i>Thursday, 16 December afternoon</i>	Reports of the First Committee
<i>Friday, 17 December</i>	The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina [42]
<i>Monday, 20 December morning</i>	Reports of the Third Committee

Committees**SECOND COMMITTEE**

47th and 48th meetings

Note: The summary of the 47th and 48th meetings of the Second Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 1993/242).

THIRD COMMITTEE

56th meeting

Report of the Economic and Social Council: organization of work of the Third Committee and draft biennial programme of work of the Committee for 1994-1995 [12]

The representative of the Department for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development made a statement.

The Committee adopted the draft proposal A/C.3/48/L.84, as orally revised.

The Committee also adopted three decisions proposed by the Chairman.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of item 12.

Human rights questions [114]

- (a) *Implementation of human rights instruments;*
- (b) *Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms;*
- (c) *Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives.*

The Committee resumed its consideration of the item.

Draft resolution A/C.3/48/L.77

The representative of Belarus introduced oral revisions to the draft resolution.

The representative of Ireland proposed an oral amendment to the draft resolution as orally revised.

Statements were made by the representatives of Barbados, the Bahamas, Algeria and Chile.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution as orally revised and amended.

Report of the Chairman of the Working Group of the Third Committee

The Chairman of the Working Group of the Third Committee made a statement.

The Chairman of the Third Committee made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United States and Algeria.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

38th meeting

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

The Committee heard statements by the representatives of the Russian Federation and the Islamic Republic of Iran and thus concluded the general debate on this item.

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.6 on agenda item 72 (Regional confidence-building measures)

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the report of that Committee. Statements were made by the representatives of Japan, Cuba, the Netherlands, Morocco and Ireland. The Controller and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee replied to questions raised during the debate.

Statements on points of procedure were made by the Chairman of the Committee and by the representatives of Canada, the Netherlands, Argentina, Cameroon, the United Kingdom, Japan and Cuba.

The Committee decided, without a vote, to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.6, no additional appropriation would be required under the programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995. The adoption of the resolution would constitute an exception to the existing principle that United Nations bodies should meet at their respective established headquarters and to the rules on payment of travel and subsistence costs for governmental representatives.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of Japan, Austria and the Netherlands.

Programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.19 on agenda item 82 (Implementation of the Declaration on the Denuclearization of Africa)

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the report of that Committee.

The Committee decided, without a vote, to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.19, no additional appropriation would be required under the programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995. The adoption of the resolution would constitute an exception to the existing principle that United Nations bodies should meet at their respective established headquarters.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of the Netherlands, Japan and Austria.

Programme budget implications of draft resolutions A/C.1/48/L.40 and L.41 on agenda items 66 and 73 (Report of the Conference on Disarmament)

The Chairman of the Advisory Committee presented orally the report of that Committee.

The Committee decided, without a vote, to inform the General Assembly that, should it adopt draft resolution A/C.1/48/L.40 and L.41, an additional appropriation of \$184,000 would be required under section 3B of the programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995, as well as an additional appropriation of \$51,500 under section 28 (Staff assessment) to be offset by an increase in the same amount under income section 1 (Income from staff assessments) subject to the guidelines for the use of the contingency fund in accordance with the provisions of resolution 42/211.

Statements in explanation of position were made by the representatives of the Netherlands and Cuba.

Organization of work

Statements were made by the Chairman and by the representative of Argentina.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL RIGHTS

Ninth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

THURSDAY, 9 DECEMBER 1993

49th meeting

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties in accordance with articles 16 and 17 of the Covenant [4]

The Committee continued its consideration of the item at the closed session, concluding observations with respect to the reports examined at the current session.

The Committee adopted the concluding observations with respect to State reports examined at the ninth session.

The Committee concluded its consideration of agenda item 4.

Annual report to the Economic and Social Council

The Committee considered and adopted as amended the annual report to the Economic and Social Council.

Closure of the session

The ninth session of the Committee was declared closed.

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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 15 December 1993

SECURITY COUNCIL

11.30 a.m. consultations of the whole (closed) Consultation Room

Morning* 3322nd meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Cyprus

Report of the Secretary-General in connection with the Security Council's comprehensive reassessment of the United Nations Operation in Cyprus (S/26777 and Add.1)

Morning** 3323rd meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Angola

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (UNAVEM II) (S/26872)

4 p.m. consultations of the whole (closed) Consultation Room

Subjects

1. Briefing by the Secretary-General
2. Liberia
3. UNPROFOR

* Following the adjournment of the consultations of the whole.

** Following the adjournment of the 3322nd meeting.

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED PURSUANT
TO RESOLUTION 748 (1992) CONCERNING THE
LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA

3 p.m.-
4 p.m.

31st meeting
(closed)

Conference Room 7

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

10.30 a.m.

80th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

1. Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:
 - (a) Report of the Special Committee Against Apartheid (A/48/22);
 - (b) Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/48/43);
 - (c) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691);
 - (d) Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);
 - (e) Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36).
2. United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:
 - (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);
 - (b) Draft resolution (A/48/L.37).

Informal consultations

10 a.m.

closed meeting

Conference Room 8

Open-ended working group of the Plenary on agenda item 24 (United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s) (draft resolution A/48/L.24).

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.

39th meeting

Conference Room 3

Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [122]

Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995 [123]

Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in South Africa

(A/C.5/48/28 and A/48/745)

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

Morning* 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
6.30 p.m.- 9.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
9.30 p.m.- 12.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 123 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995)

* Following the adjournment of the 39th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 8
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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.- 9 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
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OTHER MEETINGS

ORIENTATION COURSE ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL
FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

GROUP OF 77 THE WHOLE
(on the Committee for Development Planning
(E/1993/L.46))

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
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AFRICAN GROUP OF EXPERTS
ON ECONOMIC MATTERS

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Development Programme

There will be informal consultations of the UNDP GOVERNING COUNCIL on the Office For Project Services today, 15 December 1993, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 4.

The meeting is open to all members of the Programme.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Thursday, 16 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

3 p.m.	81st PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
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1. Prohibition of the development and manufacture of new types of weapons of mass destruction and new systems of such weapons: report of the Conference on Disarmament: report of the First Committee (A/48/662) [57].
2. Reduction of military budgets: report of the First Committee (A/48/663) [58].
3. Compliance with arms limitation and disarmament agreements: report of the First Committee (A/48/664) [59].

4. Education and information for disarmament: report of the First Committee (A/48/665) [60].
5. Chemical and bacteriological (biological) weapons: report of the First Committee (A/48/666) [61].
6. Scientific and technological developments and their impact on international security: report of the First Committee (A/48/667) [62].
7. The role of science and technology in the context of international security, disarmament and other related fields: report of the First Committee (A/48/668) [63].
8. Verification in all its aspects, including the role of the United Nations in the field of verification: report of the First Committee (A/48/669) [64].
9. Amendment of the Treaty Banning Nuclear Weapon Tests in the Atmosphere, in Outer Space and under Water: report of the First Committee (A/48/670) [65].
10. Comprehensive nuclear-test-ban treaty [66]:
 - (a) Report of the First Committee (A/48/671);
 - (b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/759*).
11. Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in the region of the Middle East: report of the First Committee (A/48/672) [67].
12. Establishment of a nuclear-weapon-free zone in South Asia: report of the First Committee (A/48/673) [68].
13. Conclusion of effective international arrangements to assure non-nuclear weapon States against the use of threat of use of nuclear weapons: report of the First Committee (A/48/674) [69].
14. Prevention of an arms race in outer space: report of the First Committee (A/48/675) [70].
15. General and complete disarmament: report of the First Committee (A/48/676) [71].
16. Review and implementation of the Concluding Document of the Twelfth Special Session of the General Assembly [72]:
 - (a) Report of the First Committee (A/48/677*);
 - (b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/758*).
17. Review of the implementation of the recommendations and decisions adopted by the General Assembly at its tenth special session [73]:
 - (a) Report of the First Committee (A/48/678);
 - (b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/759*).
18. Israeli nuclear armament: report of the First Committee (A/48/679) [74].
19. Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons Which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects: report of the First Committee (A/48/680) [75].
20. Question of Antarctica: report of the First Committee (A/48/681) [76];

* To be issued.

21. Strengthening of security and cooperation in the Mediterranean region: report of the First Committee (A/48/682) [77].
22. Implementation of the Declaration of the Indian Ocean as a Zone of Peace: report of the First Committee (A/48/683) [78].
23. Review of the implementation of the Declaration on the Strengthening of International Security: report of the First Committee (A/48/684) [79].
24. Maintenance of international security: report of the First Committee (A/48/685) [80].
25. Consolidation of the regime established by the Treaty for the Prohibition of Nuclear Weapons in Latin America and the Caribbean (Treaty of Tlatelolco): report of the First Committee (A/48/686) [81].
26. Implementation of the Declaration on the Denuclearization of Africa [82]:
 - (a) Report of the First Committee (A/48/687);
 - (b) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/48/760*).
27. Rationalization of the work and reform of the agenda of the First Committee: report of the First Committee (A/48/688) [156].

* To be issued.

Committees

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FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.

40th meeting

Conference
Room 3

There will be a closed meeting of the WORKING GROUP of the SPECIAL COMMITTEE AGAINST APARTHEID on Thursday, 16 December 1993, at 11 a.m. in Room S-3380.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

Morning*

closed meeting Conference Room 5

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

3 p.m.

closed meeting

6.30 p.m.

closed meeting

9.30 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference Room 5

There will be informal consultations on the agendas of the two inter-sessional working groups established by the Commission on Sustainable Development under the chairmanship of H.E. Mr. Razali Ismail, on Thursday, 16 December 1993, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 6.

* Following the adjournment of the 40th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.-

9 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 10

OTHER MEETINGS

There will be a closed meeting of the ASIAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE on Thursday, 16 December 1993, at 11 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

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There will be a closed meeting of the NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT HIGH-LEVEL WORKING GROUP ON THE RESTRUCTURING OF THE UNITED NATIONS on Thursday, 16 December 1993, at 3 p.m. the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

There will be a closed meeting of the TASK FORCE ON SOMALIA of the NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT on Friday, 17 December 1993, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 10 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

47th meeting

The Committee took action on the draft proposals.

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.17

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Rysinski (Poland), reported on the results of the informal consultations held on the draft resolution which he orally revised.

The representative of Algeria informed the Committee that the delegations of Cuba and the Democratic People's Republic of Korea had joined the sponsors of the draft resolution.

Statements in explanation of vote before the vote were made by the representatives of Botswana and Israel.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution, as orally revised, by a recorded vote of 113 to 2, with 13 abstentions.

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Syrian Arab Republic and the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya.

Development and international economic cooperation [91]

Revised draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.28/Rev.1

The Vice-Chairman of The Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on the revised draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft resolution.

The representative of Indonesia made a statement.

(a) *Trade and development*

Revised draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.14/Rev.1

The Chairman of the Committee presented the revised draft resolution submitted by him.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft resolution.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.21

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), reported on the results of the informal consultations held on the draft resolution.

The representative of Ukraine made a statement.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 85 to 33, with 14 abstentions.

The representative of the United States made a statement in explanation of vote after the vote.

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.22 and L.81

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.81, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.22.

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement on programme budget implications.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.81.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.22 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.23 and L.79

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.79, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.23.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.79.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.23 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

Draft decision A/C.2/48/L.75

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced the draft decision submitted by him.

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement on programme budget implications.

The Committee then adopted the draft decision.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 91 (a).

(b) Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the 1990s

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.8 and L.76 and L.20 (programme budget implications)

The Chairman informed the Committee that a statement on programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.8 was contained in document A/C.2/48/L.20.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), then introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.76, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.8.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.76.

The representative of the United States made a statement.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.8 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsor.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 91 (b).

(c) Environment

Draft decision A/C.2/48/L.49

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced the draft decision submitted by him, and orally revised it.

The Committee adopted the draft decision, as orally revised.

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.58 and L.83

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced, and orally revised, draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.83, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.58.

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), supported by the representative of Australia, further amended the text of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.83.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.83, as orally revised and amended.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.58 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 91 (c).

(h) Science and technology for development

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.16 and L.77

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.77, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.16.

The representative of China amended the text of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.77.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.77, as orally amended.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.16 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 91 (h).

Operational activities for development [94]

United Nations interim offices [154]

Draft decision A/C.2/48/L.59

The Chairman of the Committee introduced the draft decision submitted by him.

The Committee adopted the draft decision.

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) made a statement.

International decade for natural disaster reduction [98]

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.24 and L.62 (programme budget implications)

The Chairman drew the Committee's attention to a statement on programme budget implications in A/C.2/48/L.62.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Ryszard (Poland), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.24 and orally revised the text.

The representative of Japan informed the Committee that the following delegations had joined as sponsors of the draft resolution: Member States of the European Union, Finland, Israel, Kazakhstan, Norway, Poland and Russian Federation. The representative of The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia announced that his delegation had also joined as a sponsor of the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.24, as orally revised.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 98.

Implementation of decisions and recommendations of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development [99]

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.38

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held, and orally revised the text.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally revised.

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.47 and L.80

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.80, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.47.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.80.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.47 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

(b) Global Conference on the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.12 and L.78

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.78, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.12.

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement on programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.12.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.78.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.12 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 99 (b)

(c) Sustainable use and conservation of the marine living resources of the high seas: United Nations Conference on Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.44

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on this draft resolution, and orally revised the text.

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement on programme budget implications of this draft resolution.

The representative of Egypt, supported by the representative of Benin, further amended the text of the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, as orally revised and amended.

The representative of the Republic of Korea made a statement.

The Committee then concluded its consideration of sub-item 99 (c).

Monday, 13 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

48th meeting

The Committee took action on the draft proposals.

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.18 and L.90

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Rysinski (Poland), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.90, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.18, and orally corrected the text.

He also informed the Committee that the delegation of Pakistan had joined the sponsors of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.18 and that the name of Lebanon should be deleted.

The representative of Algeria drew the Committee's attention to corrections in the Arabic text.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.90, as orally corrected.

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Syrian Arab Republic, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, the Russian Federation and Norway.

The representative of Algeria made a statement.

The observer for Palestine made a statement.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.18 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

Revised draft decision A/C.2/48/L.50/Rev.1 and L.82 (programme budget implications)

The Chairman drew the Committee's attention to a statement of programme budget implications in A/C.2/48/L.82.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on the revised draft decision.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft decision.

Revised draft decision A/C.2/48/L.51/Rev.1 and L.82 (programme budget implications)

The Chairman drew the Committee's attention to a statement of programme budget implications in A/C.2/48/L.82.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on the revised draft decision.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft decision.

Revised draft decision A/C.2/48/L.52/Rev.1 and L.82 (programme budget implications)

The Chairman drew the Committee's attention to a statement of programme budget implications in A/C.2/48/L.82.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on the revised draft decision.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft decision.

Revised draft decision A/C.2/48/L.53/Rev.1 and L.82 (programme budget implications)

The Chairman drew the Committee's attention to a statement on programme budget implications in A/C.2/48/L.82.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee on the results of the informal consultations held on the revised draft decision.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft decision.

Upon the proposal of the Chairman, the Committee took note of the relevant chapters of the report of the Economic and Social Council for 1993 (A/48/3), two notes by the Secretary-General (A/48/159-E/1993/59, A/48/276) and the report of the Secretary-General on Special assistance to Namibia (A/48/498).

Draft biennial programme of work for the Second Committee for 1994-1995

A/C.2/48/L.72

The Chief of the Programmes and Documentation Planning Section of the Department for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development orally revised and updated document A/C.2/48/L.72 in accordance with decisions taken by the Committee since the issuance of that document.

Statements were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Egypt, Armenia, Tunisia, Trinidad and Tobago, Pakistan, Australia, the United States, Morocco, Mauritania and Algeria.

The Chief of the Programmes and Documentation Planning Section of the Department for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development responded to questions raised.

The Committee then approved its draft biennial programme of work for 1994-1995, as orally revised and amended.

After the approval of the draft biennial programme of work for 1994-1995, statements were made by the representatives of Tunisia, the United States, Colombia (on behalf of the Group of 77) and Pakistan.

The representative of the United States made a statement on a point of order.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 12.

Emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan [41]

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.48

The representative of Afghanistan made a statement and orally revised the draft resolution.

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of programme budget implications of this draft resolution.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Rysinski (Poland), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on the draft resolution.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution, as orally revised.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 41.

Development and international economic cooperation [91]

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.74 and L.87

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.87, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.74.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.87.

(g) Human settlements

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.37

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on this text, and orally revised it.

The Committee then adopted the draft resolution, as orally revised.

Action on draft resolution contained in Commission on Human Settlements resolution 14/1

A/48/8

The Committee adopted the draft resolution contained in resolution 14/1 in document A/48/8.

Action on draft resolution contained in Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/63

The Committee adopted the draft resolution contained in the Economic and Social Council resolution 1993/63.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 91 (g).

(i) Entrepreneurship

Revised draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.34/Rev.1

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on this revised text.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft resolution in A/C.2/49/L.34/Rev.1.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 91 (i) and of agenda item 91, as a whole.

External debt crisis and development [92]

Revised draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.5/Rev.1

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), informed the Committee of the results of the informal consultations held on this text.

The representative of France drew the Committee's attention to corrections in the French text.

The Committee then adopted the revised draft resolution by a recorded vote of 152 to 1, with no abstentions.

After the adoption, the representative of Colombia made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 92.

International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries [93]

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.60 and L.86

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.86, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.60.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.86.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.60 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.61 and L.89

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.89, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.61.

The representative of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union) amended the text of draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.89.

The representatives of Tunisia and Algeria made statements and the representative of Spain requested that the Spanish text be aligned with the revised English text.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.89.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.61 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 93.

Operational activities for development [94]

United Nations interim offices [154]

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.70, A/C.2/48/L.85 (programme budget implications)

The Chairman of the Committee drew the Committee's attention to a statement of programme budget implications of this draft resolution, contained in A/C.2/48/L.85.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Ryszard Rysinski (Poland), introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.70, submitted by him.

Statements were made by the representatives of Armenia, the Russian Federation and Finland.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.70.

Upon the proposal of the Chairman, the Committee took note of the report of the Governing Council of the United Nations Development Programme (E/1993/35) and the report of the Secretary-General on United Nations interim offices (A/48/146/Add.1).

Training and research: United Nations Institute for Training and Research [106]

Draft resolutions A/C.2/48/L.71 and L.88, A/C.2/48/L.84 (programme budget implications)

The representative of the Office of Programme Planning, Budget and Finance drew the Committee's attention to statement on the programme budget implications in document A/C.2/48/L.84 and revised the text.

The representative of Pakistan further amended the text.

The representative of the Office of Programme Planning, Budget and Finance made a statement in clarification.

The Vice-Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Leandro Arellano (Mexico) then introduced draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.88, submitted by him on the basis of informal consultations held on draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.71.

The Committee then adopted draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.88.

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.71 was consequently withdrawn by its sponsors.

The representative of Mongolia made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 106.

Letters from the Chairman of the Second Committee addressed to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee

The Chairman of the Committee read out a letter he proposed to send to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee at the

request of a number of delegations (A/C.5/48/51) relating to the funding of the United Nations contribution to the financing of the activities of non-governmental Liaison Services.

Statements were made by the representatives of Cuba, China, Colombia (on behalf of the Group of 77), Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Morocco, Mauritania, Canada, Japan, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Uganda, Australia and Senegal.

After a brief suspension of the meeting and upon the request of a number of delegations, the Chairman then proposed that a second letter be sent to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee relating to the annex in decision 2/4 in document A/48/226/Add.1.

The Committee then agreed that both proposed letters should be addressed and sent to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee.

Conclusion of the work of the Committee

The Chairman made a statement.

The representative of Colombia (on behalf of the Group of 77, Member States of the European Union, Australia, Canada and New Zealand) made a statement.

The representative of The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (on behalf of the Eastern European States) made a statement.

The representative of Portugal (on behalf of the Western European and Other States) made a statement.

The Chairman then declared the work of the Second Committee concluded.

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.17

The representative of Mauritania informed the Committee that, had his delegation been present, it would have voted in favour of the draft resolution.

Development and international economic cooperation [91]

Draft resolution A/C.2/48/L.21

The representative of Mauritania informed the Committee that, had his delegation been present, it would have voted in favour of the draft resolution.

Tuesday, 14 December 1993

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-eighth session

78th plenary meeting

Tribute to the memory of the late Prime Minister of the Republic of Hungary, H.E. Dr. Jozsef Antall

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly observed one minute of silence in tribute to the memory of the late Prime Minister of the Republic of Hungary, His Excellency Dr. Jozsef Antall.

The Assembly heard statements by the representatives of Angola (on behalf of the African States), Japan (on behalf of the Asian States), the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (on behalf of the Eastern European States), Ecuador (on behalf of the Latin American and Caribbean States), Portugal (on behalf of the Western European and other States) and the United States (on behalf of the host country).

The representative of Hungary made a statement.

Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations [44]:

- (a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/536);*
- (b) *Draft resolution (A/48/L.47)*

The representative of Canada made a statement in the course of which she introduced draft resolution A/48/L.47.

The representative of France made a statement in the course of which he orally corrected the French version of draft resolution A/48/L.47.

The representative of Belgium made a statement on behalf of the European Union.

The Assembly adopted draft resolution A/48/L.47 (resolution 48/57).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 44.

Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/48/22);*
- (b) *Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/48/43);*

(c) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691);*

(d) *Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);*

(e) *Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36)*

Statements were made by the representatives of Turkey, Senegal, Tunisia, Malawi, China, Pakistan, Nicaragua (also on behalf of Costa Rica, El Salvador, Honduras, Guatemala and Panama), Poland, the United Republic of Tanzania, Bahrain, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Australia, Denmark (on behalf of the Nordic countries) and Brazil.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 3369 (XXX) of 10 October 1975, the observer for the Organization of the Islamic Conference made a statement.

79th plenary meeting

The situation in the Middle East [34]:

- (a) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/522, A/48/607-S/26769);*
- (b) *Draft resolutions (A/48/L.32, A/48/L.34, A/48/L.46).*

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 34.

The representatives of Norway, the Russian Federation and the United States of America introduced draft resolution A/48/L.32 in the course of their statements.

The representative of Indonesia made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolutions A/48/L.34 and A/48/L.46.

Statements were made by the representatives of Belgium (on behalf of the European Union), Oman (on behalf of the Arab States) and France.

Statements in explanation of vote before the vote were made by the representatives of Lebanon and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The Assembly proceeded to vote on draft resolutions A/48/L.32, A/48/L.34 and A/48/L.46.

	Yes	No	Abstentions
Draft resolution A/48/L.32 (recorded vote) (resolution 48/58)	155	3	1
Draft resolution A/48/L.34 (recorded vote) (resolution 48/59 A)	141	1	11
Draft resolution A/48/L.46 (recorded vote) (resolution 48/59 B)	65	2	83

Statements in explanation of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of the United States, Bangladesh, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Peru, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, the Sudan and Canada.

The President made a statement.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 34.

United Nations initiative on opportunity and participation: draft resolution (A/48/L.19/Rev.1) [151]

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda item 151.

The representative of the United Republic of Tanzania made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/48/L.19/Rev.1.

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement concerning the programme budget implications of draft resolution A/48/L.19/Rev.1.

The Assembly adopted draft resolution (A/48/L.19/Rev.1) (resolution 48/60).

The representative of Papua New Guinea made a statement.

The President made a statement.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 151.

Elimination of apartheid and establishment of a united, democratic and non-racial South Africa [38]:

- (a) *Report of the Special Committee against Apartheid (A/48/22);*
- (b) *Report of the Intergovernmental Group to Monitor the Supply and Shipping of Oil and Petroleum Products to South Africa (A/48/43);*

(c) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/48/467 and Add.1, A/48/523, A/48/691);*

(d) *Report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/48/657);*

(e) *Draft resolutions (A/48/L.29, A/48/L.30, A/48/L.31/Rev.1, A/48/L.36)*

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [39]:

(a) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/48/524);*

(b) *Draft resolution (A/48/L.37)*

Statements were made by the representatives of Madagascar, Japan, Bangladesh, Israel, the Russian Federation, Cuba and Colombia.

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly and organization of work: request for the reopening of agenda item 47 submitted by Australia (A/48/749) [8]

The General Assembly decided to reopen consideration of agenda item 47, entitled "Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995".

The President informed delegates that agenda item 47 would be considered at a later date to be announced in the *Journal*.

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DISARMAMENT COMMISSION

Resumed organizational session

183rd meeting

The Commission elected by acclamation H.E. Mr. René Valéry Mongbe (Benin) as Chairman of the Disarmament Commission for the year 1994. The Commission also elected the representatives of Austria, Cuba, Jordan, Mauritius, Pakistan, Poland and Sweden as Vice-Chairmen of the Commission, and Mr. José Manuel Ovalle (Chile) as Rapporteur of the Commission for 1994. Statements were made by the representatives of Benin, Chile and Egypt.

The Commission, taking into account the principle of equitable geographical distribution, appointed H.E. Mr. Victor H. Batiouk (Ukraine) as Chairman of Working Group I on the item entitled "Process of nuclear disarmament in the framework of international peace and security, with the objective of the elimination of nuclear weapons", H.E. Ms. Peggy Mason (Canada) as Chairperson of Working Group II on the item entitled "The role of science and technology in the context of international security, disarmament and other related fields"

and H.E. Mr. Luis Fernando Jaramillo (Colombia) as Chairman of Working Group III on the item entitled "International arms transfers with particular reference to resolution 46/36 H of 6 December 1991".

The Chairman made a statement and declared the 1993 organizational session of the Disarmament Commission closed.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

*United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change,
concluded at New York on 9 May 1992*

*Ratification: Republic of Korea (14 December 1993)**

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.